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Attached please find two documents: 1) a response to comments report version for you to see how we addressed your comments, and 2) A clean next draft version.

We made some substantial changes in response to your requests. Most notably you will see that we added an executive summary that hits the main points (all highlighted for easy viewing) and recommendations from the study, per your request. This is not something we have done frequently, and we may be a little rusty on the right language to hit the target. Therefore, please give it a careful read and provide edits as needed. Hopefully it is close to what you had in mind. We also added all the requested edits and especially added more detail on the diatom metrics in the Appendix, as requested.

I apologize for the delay, we had some contract changes, spring breaks, etc. Thanks again for your patience.

Respectfully –

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